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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni Chief Clerk of the Commission SC Public Service Commission P. O. Drawer 11649 Columbia, SC 29211 MECENED

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SC PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION

RE:

Generic Proceeding to Explore a Formal Request For Proposal Process For Utilities That Are Considering Alternatives For Adding Generating Capacity

Docket No. 2005-191-E

Dear Mr. Terreni:

As you are aware, I represent the South Carolina Energy Users Committee, an intervenor in the above-captioned docket before the South Carolina Public Service Commission. On September 27, 2005, the Office of Regulatory Staff set out its position concerning this docket as follows:

Consequently, ORS limits its review solely to the scope contained in the Orders – whether or not the Commission should pursue rule-making procedures for an RFP process. In accordance with this scope, ORS encourages the Commission to pursue RFP formal rule-making procedures as ORS believes doing so is in the public interest as defined by S.C. Ann. §58-4-10. Should the Commission decide to implement formal rule-making procedures, ORS at that time will submit comments to the Commission to consider in formulating an RFP process.

The South Carolina Energy Users Committee would join in and support the ORS in its encouragement that the Commission pursue formal rule-making procedures with respect to the RFP process. However, the South Carolina Energy Users Committee will not appear and participate in the proceedings scheduled for October 26, 2005. The South Carolina Energy Users Committee would remain a party for all other purposes in the docket including service of pleadings, motions and orders and for the purpose of making comments to the Commission in any rule-making procedures arising out of this docket.

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If you or counsel have questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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cc: All parties of record